

CITY LEGISLATORS.

The Usual Routine Session—Appointments of the City Assessor—Confirmed—Several Ordinances Passed and Motions Adopted.

The Council met last night in regular session with President presiding. Pearson in the chair.

THE ASSESSOR'S DEPUTIES.

Engineer Sautley, City Assessor, submitted for confirmation of the Council the names of the following persons as his Deputies for the assessment of property for the current year: H. H. M. Patton, Leonard Crane, J. A. Newmeyer, P. J. Michelson, William Pettit, J. T. Morris, John Webber, J. C. Stokes, William Lockman, Harry Roach, Emanuel Haugh, Albert Moore, P. R. Stroupe, J. B. McCaffery, C. L. Smith, W. H. Mahan, Thomas Ryan, D. S. Danon, Edward Sands, Edward Roberts, D. S. Jordan, William Davis, James Burton, M. L. Groves, H. also asked that the following appointments by the Township Assessor be confirmed: George Steinhorn, John Maher, C. Danon, George Crozier, Joseph Walker, Frank Parker, L. W. Hesselesberger, George Decker, J. D. Ewing, George Swanson, Ben Wilson, William Kerr, Albert Reiser, Oliver Byrman, Henry Besley, David Jones, John Vanstam and John Branch. The appointments were confirmed.

STREET CONTRACT AWARDED.

The Committee on Contracts submitted a number of bids for grading, bowldering and curbing the south gutter of Fort Wayne avenue and paving with brick the sidewalks thereof from New Jersey to Central avenue. They recommended that the contract be awarded to James W. Hudson at fifty cents per square yard for bowldering, forty-one cents for curbing, forty cents for paving and fifty cents for walk-stones. The report was concurred in.

HE WANTS ANOTHER ENGINE.

A communication was received from the Chief Fire Engineer asking that steps be taken for the purchase of a four-wheeled double tank chemical engine of 100 gallons capacity, fully equipped with ladders, etc., for the engine house to be built on Prospect street. The communication also stated that the Department was in need of 2,000 feet of hose. Immediately upon the reading of the communication Mr. Thalmann offered a motion "that a special committee of three be appointed which shall be known as the 'Committee on Fire Department,' to whom shall be referred all motions, resolutions, etc., relating to the Fire Department." Adopted, and the Chair named the following to serve on that committee: Messrs. Tinsler, Thalmann and Mack.

THAT VETERINARY CONTRACT.

A paper from the Board of Aldermen was received, stating that they had adhered to their former action in awarding the contract for veterinary services, and asking that a conference committee be appointed, consisting of three Aldermen and three Councilmen. The matter was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

NEED A LARGER FORCE.

A lengthy communication was received from the Board of Health stating that they were preparing the city to resist the epidemic disease of the summer months. The communication said that their force was not large enough to remove the large amount of dirt and filth that had accumulated in various parts of the city, and they needed two more men or a horse and wagon. The latter they thought would be most economical, and asked that the Council give them one of the spare horses in the Fire Department and a wagon. The communication was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

WANT THEM TO BUILD AT ONCE.

Mr. Thalmann offered a motion that the City Clerk be directed to inquire of the officials of the C. I. St. L. and C. whether or not they intended to build certain work and machine shops on the property vacated a year ago for that purpose; and inform said officials that the city did not feel warranted in leaving certain streets vacated to the detriment of property holders; also, that steps be taken to open said streets unless the company speedily resolves to use the grounds for the purposes proposed by them. Adopted.

ORDINANCES PASSED.

To provide for grading and paving with brick the east sidewalk of Delaware street from Seventh to Eighth street.

To provide for the construction of a brick sewer in and along New Jersey street from Washington to New York street.

The usual annual ordinance providing for the assessment of all taxable property in the city upon which to base the tax levy.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS.

The Council adhered to their former action in accepting the offer of \$100 for the city's interest in the lot commonly known as the "Park."

The bond of Louis Burton, the Prospect street engine house contractor, was filed and approved.

COURT-HOUSE LOCALS.

Seeking to Set Aside a Deed—County Contracts—A Case of Prompt Justice in the Criminal Court.

The divorce suit of William Schrader vs. Belle M. Schrader was yesterday dismissed in Room 2.

The damage suit of Henry Smith vs. the I. and St. L. Road has been dismissed by Judge Howe.

The damage suit of Vincent D. Byfield vs. Haugh, Ketcham & Co. was dismissed yesterday in Room 1.

The suit of Ellen Beasley vs. Henry Beasley and others, in Room 2, to set aside a deed has been dismissed.

The suit of Eliza M. Parker vs. Emanuel R. Hawn was dismissed yesterday in Room 2, the death of defendant being suggested.

Judge Walker has granted a divorce to Elizabeth A. Nolle from William T. Nolle on proof of failure to provide and abandonment.

The County Board will adjourn to-morrow after a session of seventeen days. To-day they go to examine a number of bridges over the county.

In the damage suit of George Merriam et al. vs. The Merchants' Dispatch Transportation Company, Judge Taylor yesterday rendered judgment for plaintiffs for \$324.50.

The suit of Mary A. Gilmore vs. James I. Lightfoot is on trial before a jury in Room 1. Plaintiff sues on an account which the defendant she claims owes her, growing out of a business transaction in connection with the show business.

The case against George Williams for grand larceny came before Judge Norton yesterday morning. Williams was captured early in the morning while stealing a set of harness. He was taken to the Criminal Court on an information to which he entered a plea of

guilty. He was given two years North, and by 10 o'clock was returned to jail. Williams is a colored man.

Petition for a writ of mandamus against Squire Smock was filed by Reed L. Sullivan yesterday, in which relator alleges that on the 23d of February he was defendant in the suit of Mrs. Garshmler vs. R. L. Sullivan for the possession of certain real estate. Judgment was given plaintiff, and defendant filed his bond for appeal. Relator would not file a transcript, and the appeal would not be a transcript. Hence this suit.

Catharine Gruenert, as guardian of Emma W. Caroline M., William F., Rose K. and George L. Gruenert, minor heirs of Herman Gruenert, deceased, has filed suit to collect a policy on the life of the deceased by the Continental Life Insurance Company for \$2,000, issued in February, 1882. The complaint alleges the death of the insured in May last; that the premium has been paid up, and that the company refuses to pay the policy. Demand, \$2,500.

Jack Smith was put on trial yesterday before a jury in the Criminal Court for assault and battery with intent to kill Watchman Sneed, of the Pan-Handle yards. Smith was in a car which he had broken open for purposes of robbery. He shot at Sneed and hit him in the breast. Sneed returned the shot, hitting Smith in the leg and crippling him so badly that he was unable to escape. Smith was also indicted by the Grand Jury for burglary. His defense on the trial is that he was on his way to see a brother and that the watchman was mistaken in the belief that he was engaged in a crime.

The County Board yesterday awarded the county stationery contract to O. H. Hasselman. Caroline Kell was awarded the contract for sprinkling the Court-house square during the summer at \$8 a week. She is the woman who was awarded the contract last summer. The Independent Ice Company was given the contract for furnishing ice at twenty-one cents per hundred for the ensuing two years. Riley & Hedges were awarded the contract for doing the county undertaking. Their contract is to bury all persons five feet tall at \$2.00; all persons from three to five feet, \$1.00; all under three feet at \$1. The firm also agree to convey all papers to the poor farm at fifty cents each and to the City Hospital at twenty-five cents each.

The suit of Francis W. Pigg vs. Sarah Catharine Pigg and John T. Woodard is on trial by jury in Room 2. This is a suit to set aside a deed and to quiet title to real estate. The complaint alleges that years ago the plaintiff, while an unmarried man, purchased a lot in this city, which he had conveyed to his brother David, the agreement between them being that David should afterward, on request of this plaintiff, convey the lot by deed to whomever plaintiff should name. Afterward plaintiff married Nancy Woodard. He then had his brother convey the lot to his wife, and with her he had an understanding to the effect that the property was to be regarded at all times as his absolutely. Afterward, upon his order, his wife conveyed the lot to another person, and a new lot was purchased in Spann's addition to this city. Upon both lots plaintiff had put valuable improvements, and he had this second lot also put in his wife's name, with the same understanding as before. Again the lot was sold and a new lot was purchased and valuable improvements were placed thereon. Meanwhile plaintiff's wife died, and upon her death the lot was about to be sold on a bond, he consulted with William Patterson, an attorney, who advised him to have the lot conveyed to his daughter, defendant herein, which was done on the same verbal understanding as that which he had with his wife in their former transactions during her life time. The complaint says that Sarah Catharine Pigg now refuses to surrender the property to him upon request, claiming it as a bona fide transfer of the property by her father to her. Plaintiff also alleges that Woodard, his step-son, claims an interest in the property as heir of Nancy Pigg, deceased; that he, plaintiff, is now sixty-five years of age; that all his worldly possessions are in this piece of real estate, and that if the Court set aside the deed to Sarah Catharine Pigg and quiet his title as against her and Woodard.

Local Courts.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Room 1.—Hon. N. B. Taylor, Judge.
George Merriam et al. vs. the Merchants' Dispatch Transportation Company. Damages. Judgment for \$324.50.

Willoughby Walling et al. vs. Louis Erhardt et al. To set aside Sheriff's sale and make defendants liable for judgment on plaintiff. Judgment for defendants.

Vincent D. Byfield vs. Hagb, Ketcham & Co. Damages. Dismissed.

James B. Fowler et al. vs. John Walle. To recover personal property and damages. Judgment for defendants.

Henry Maag vs. Albert A. R. Hendrick. Possession of real estate. Judgment for plaintiff.

Mary A. Gilmore vs. James I. Lightfoot. Account. On trial by jury.

Room No. 2.—Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge.
Martha Julian vs. Andrew J. Chandler et al. Foreclosure. Dismissed.

William Schrader vs. Belle M. Schrader. Divorce. Dismissed.

Henry Smith vs. the Indianapolis and St. Louis Railway Company. Damages. Dismissed.

Eliza M. Parker vs. Emanuel R. Hawn. Dismissed.

Ellen Beasley vs. Henry Beasley et al. To set aside deed. Dismissed.

William A. Russell et al. vs. Anna B. Hereth et al. On mechanics' lien. Dismissed.

Albert Cleveland vs. the United States Home and Dower Association. Dismissed.

William S. Helm et al. vs. Milton H. Daniels. On account. Judgment for \$100.

Francis W. Pigg vs. Sarah Catharine Pigg et al. To set aside deed and quiet title. On trial by jury.

Room 3.—Hon. Lewis C. Walker, Judge.
Elizabeth A. Nolle vs. William T. Nolle. Suit for divorce. A decree granted on the ground of abandonment and failure to provide.

Robert N. Lamb, Receiver, vs. Harvey H. Wheatcraft. Suit on overdraft. Finding for defendant for \$112.60.

Jacob D. Hoes vs. Francis M. Churchman et al. Suit for street improvements. On trial by the Court.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Hon. Pierce Norton, Judge.
State vs. Jack Smith. Assault and battery with intent to kill. On trial by jury.

State vs. George Williams. Grand larceny. Plea of guilty, and sentenced to the State Prison for two years.

It Was Not John A. Eusey.

John A. Eusey, of 678 East St. Clair street, called yesterday to say that the John Eusey who had Schaffner arrested on Sunday for

malicious trespass is not a Bee Line engineer, but is in charge of a switch engine. Our caller is a Bee Line engineer, and in justice to him and his estimable lady we trust that no one will mistake them for the parties mentioned in the Sentinel article yesterday. Mr. John A. Eusey was not in the city at the time of the arrest, nor did he return until yesterday morning.

READY FOR THE SUMMER CAMPAIGN.

The McCormick "Up and Coming"—An Inviting Outlook for This Season.

A reporter of the Sentinel, while looking through the headquarters of the McCormick Harvesting Machine Company, yesterday saw evidence of much activity and preparation for the coming season. From a conversation with Mr. J. B. Heywood, the leading agent in charge of this department, it was learned that a long lease had just been taken on the buildings occupied by the firm, and an additional warehouse of magnificent proportions and other important features will be introduced that will greatly add to their business facilities. The business, under the present efficient manager, has increased tenfold under his energetic administration, and at no time were the facilities equal to the increasing demands of the growing business. Last year (1884) the sales amounted to about 3,000 machines. Mr. Heywood attributes this handsome increase to the superior merits of the McCormick machines and his able corps of assistants, the equal of whom he said he did not think are to be found in the employ of any other manufacturer of harvesting machines in the country. The offices at Nos. 167 and 169 are pleasant, commodious and admirably arranged. Here are book-keepers, a rapid stenographer, typewriter, shipping and repair clerks, and the business being expedited by an able corps of workmen.

Five men are regularly employed in making contracts and settlements with dealers, of which there are 130 representing the McCormick machines in Indiana.

"This year," said Mr. Heywood, "the McCormick intends to still further widen the gap between its competitors and the superb old harvester, and it will not surprise me if some are shut out of the race altogether."

SOCIETY NOTICES.

MASONIC—Keystone Chapter No. 6, Royal Arch Masons, stated meeting in Masonic Temple this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Also work in M. M. Degree.

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WANTED—Position to sew in family, by young lady. Call or address 215 West New York street.

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WANTED—TAILOR—A good cost maker; steady work the year round. Address D. BOLAND, Seymour, Ind. 17

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WANTED—By an experienced salesman, a situation in dry goods or boots and shoes. Work cheap. Address 10m, 124 North Delaware street. Will leave the city. 17-2

WANTED—To hire for his board, a first-class saddle horse or horse pony. To be used only for horseback exercise by a lady. Address T. M. care Sentinel office. 17-2

WANTED—By a man of three years' experience, a situation to drive wagon and sell goods through the country; salary or per cent. WILL, 170 Yandes street. 17-2

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ANNOUNCEMENT—This is to give notice that Mr. John A. Robbins has this day purchased of his partner, Mr. James Westhous, the right, title and interest in the Hooker Combined Amusement and Billiard Parlor, 100 North Delaware, March 16, 1885. JOHN A. ROBBINS. 17

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